

BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given in a Nutshell.

Concert meets this evening. Grand to-night—"In Atlantic City." Groceries will be open evenings from next Friday until Christmas eve.

House & Herrmann's Santa Claus attracted hundreds of little ones last night.

Henry Kronenworth, has succeeded Edward Dahl as police officer on the Fourth ward beat.

Beginning last night and continuing until Christmas Eve, the retail stores of the city are open evenings.

A son of Robert Snell, who has been a patient at the City hospital, was moved yesterday in the city ambulance to his home, 2115 Main street, South Side. The boy is recovering rapidly.

The representation of Mount Vesuvius in action, in the Main street display window at George M. Snook & Co., attracted great interest last night. It is cleverly conceived and well carried out.

The explosion of a lamp in a residence on Fourteenth street, East End, called out the fire department at 11:10 last night, but before the arrival of the apparatus the blaze was extinguished, without loss.

The G. A. R. life, drum and bugle corps will give its opening ball to-night at Beabout hall. The function is given for the purpose of raising funds for the purchase of new uniforms for the corps, to be first worn in the "Dewey Day" parade.

Miss Julia Schaefer, of 102 Sixteenth street, while carrying a basket of clothes, slipped and painfully injured her back. Dr. Wingert was called and he feared that an operation would be necessary.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Exchange bank of Wheeling will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 9, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors.

A very pleasant evening's entertainment was given under the auspices of Excelsior Lodge No. 19, A. O. U. W., in the nature of a family gathering of the members. This is the first of a series of entertainments to be given by the lodge.

Among the notable window displays is that at J. C. Stamp's, 1333 Market street, where kiosk-like pictures are shown of Dewey's reception in New York. These are of especial interest, owing to the admiral's approaching visit to Wheeling.

The G. A. R. committee, in charge of the Civil war veterans' division in the "Dewey Day" parade, has organized by choosing H. J. Felber secretary. The chairman is County Clerk Richard Robertson. The committee's next meeting will be held Saturday evening at 1, O. O. F. hall.

Messrs. James A. Beaver, ex-governor of Pennsylvania, N. E. Winkler, W. H. Rogers, W. B. Tustin and A. E. Daily, incorporators of the National Tin-Plate Company, have called a general meeting of the stockholders, to be held Thursday, December 28, in Pittsburgh, for the purpose of organizing.

The Washington & Jefferson Glee, Mandolin and Banjo Clubs will give a concert at the Carroll Club auditorium on Wednesday, December 20. The clubs have had a most successful season this year and will, no doubt, be able to entertain the Wheeling people with a choice performance. Tickets will be on sale at House's after the 16th.

Doings of People in the Brooke County Metropolis.

Martha, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson, died at an early hour yesterday morning of diphtheria. This is the second death in the Thompson home from this disease within a week, and the parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their affliction.

S. O. Paul has purchased the W. H. Tarr property, on Pleasant avenue, now occupied by Charles S. Wilson. The price has not been made public, but is said to be about \$5,000. Mr. Paul will move into his new home on April 1, 1900.

Cyrus Ferguson, a citizen of Wellsburg, some twelve or fifteen months ago, but now a wealthy oil operator of McDonald, Pa., was shaking hands with old friends here yesterday.

The wedding of Mr. Lou Zimmerman, of Steubenville, and Miss Stella, daughter of Samuel George, will occur tomorrow. They will make their home in Steubenville.

The barbers of Wellsburg have formed a combine, and advanced the price of hair cutting to twenty-five cents, to take effect January 1.

BURDOCK Blood Bitters gives a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the battle of life.

THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES.

Parkersburg, DEN HUR, 11 p. m. Marietta, UTAHIA, 9 a. m. Newport, ELOISE, 11 a. m. Sistersville, RUTH, 3:30 p. m. Charleston, LEROY, 2:30 p. m. Steubenville, T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Cincinnati, KEYSTONE STATE, 8 a. m. Marietta, UTAHIA, 9 a. m. Parkersburg, H. K. BEDFORD, 11 a. m. Matamoras, JEWELL, 11 a. m. Sistersville, RUTH, 3:30 p. m. Charleston, LEROY, 2:30 p. m. Steubenville, T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-MORROW.

Charleston, KANAWHA, 6:30 a. m. Marietta, UTAHIA, 9 a. m. Parkersburg, H. K. BEDFORD, 11 a. m. Sistersville, RUTH, 3:30 p. m. Charleston, LEROY, 2:30 p. m. Steubenville, T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m. Pittsburgh, BEN HUI, 1 p. m.

Along the Landing.

About two feet more is expected on the present rise.

The Keystone State is to-day's packet for Cincinnati, departing at 8 a. m.

The marks at 6 p. m. showed 6 feet 8 inches and rising. Weather, cloudy and moderate.

River Telegrams.

OIL CITY—River 2 feet 10 inches and rising. Weather, cloudy and mild.

WARREN—River 2 feet and rising.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet and stationary. Weather, cloudy.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet 6 inches and stationary. Weather, cloudy and warm.

BROWNVILLE—River 6 feet and stationary.

PITTSBURGH—River 4.7 feet. Weather, cloudy and cool.

PARKERSBURG—River 6 feet and stationary. Weather, cloudy; mercury 46. Passed down—Virginia. Locals on time. Little Kanawha falling.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price, 50c.

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GRAVES.

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BEECHAM'S PILLS will dispel the "blues."

BY DISSOLVING THE DIRT ON TARBISH, AND CAUSING NO WEAR ON THE SURFACE, CLEANING.

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Galloping Consumption

Today it's "only a cough," to be sure; only a tickling in the throat.



But what about tomorrow? Then come the pain in the lungs, the hard cough, night sweats, loss of flesh, and hemorrhages. Now the doctor says, "It's galloping consumption." Why wait?

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Write the Doctor. If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice, write the Doctor freely. Address: Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

BRIDGEPORT HAPPENINGS.

Events of a Day in the Town at the End of the Bridge.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, occurred the death of Mrs. John Greenlee, at her home in Lansing, aged forty-eight. Mrs. Greenlee was well known in this vicinity, and leaves a host of friends, together with a husband and three children, to mourn her loss.

Owing to an accident to the Bridgeport electric lighting plant last night the incandescent lights will not be burning for the next two weeks. The injury to the plant, however, will not interfere with the arc lights.

Word has been received from Father Weigand, who has been sojourning in Europe for about four months, stating that he had arrived safely in New York Saturday. He is expected to arrive here to-morrow evening.

The fourth and last evening of the bazaar and festival given at the Opera House by St. Anthony's church drew a large crowd. The affair was very successful, and about \$1,000 was cleared.

The water plugs will be flushed to-morrow, and all persons wishing to use water on that day had better have it drawn before it is too late.

Misses Minnie and Blanche Powell, who have been guests of the family of David Boston, returned to their home in Clarington yesterday.

The Bridgeport lodge, No. 131, F. & M., met last evening, at which time the recently elected officers were installed.

The ladies of the West End M. E. church will give a social this evening, which promises to be a very enjoyable affair.

Mrs. Everly South and daughter, Helen, returned yesterday from a two-week visit with relatives at Pittsburgh.

Charles Coas has resigned his position at Brannum's, and the vacancy has been filled by Harry Porter.

The young society people of this city will give a dance at the Island club rooms to-morrow evening.

The ladies of the First M. E. church of Kirkwood will give a turkey supper next Thursday evening.

A wagon loaded with hay broke down on Lincoln avenue yesterday, stopping travel for some time.

John Goodwin returned to East Liverpool yesterday, after a visit with George Medill.

W. B. Hall, the Pike street undertaker, is having a 'phone placed in his residence.

The Union Hall Association will give a dance at the Opera House Thursday evening.

Miss Rachel Holland, of Colerain, was calling on Bridgeport friends yesterday.

Sheriff Foreman, of St. Clairsville, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. George Brescock is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

William Coss, of Railroad street, is on the sick list.

R. A. Bailey is ill at his home in Kirkwood.

BENWOOD.

News Notes From the Busy Marshall County Town.

To the big bunch of sheriffial aspirants in the Republican ranks there are two more to be added. They are David Arrick, of Franklin district, and Joseph Orum, of Sherrard. It is now up to Sand Hill to toe the scratch with a candidate and the county will have drawn timber from its four ends. It is conceded that the race will be the hottest in the county's history and several of the contestants have left the "hands of their friends" to do some circulating.

The comedy, "A Fisherman's Luck," to be given by young people of St. Matthew's German Lutheran church, has been postponed until Wednesday evening, December 20. The original date was to-morrow evening. The postponement insures a more finished production.

There is some activity in the prosecuting attorney line, as well as for sheriff, and in this connection the following are being mentioned: S. B. Blair, Albert Hooten, D. B. Evans, and the present official, Thomas J. Parsons, of Mountsville, and Josiah Sinclair, of Benwood.

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MARTIN'S FERRY NEWS.

The Daily Chronicle of Wheeling's Progressive Neighbor.

Miss Sarah Hoyle's room at the Central school was closed yesterday afternoon, on account of diphtheria existing in the family of Samuel McLain, on Second street, and one of the children being a pupil in Miss Hoyle's room. It seems impossible to stamp the disease out of the city. Several times the town has been free from the disease, and then it again puts in its appearance, with apparently renewed vigor. The disease has been handled skillfully by our physicians, and the health officer has from the beginning enforced the strictest quarantine rules. We have it, and the only apparent remedy is to let nature take its course.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the church, and hold a union meeting, the occasion being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Foreign Missionary Society. A literary and musical programme will be rendered.

Mrs. William Madin entertained a number of friends last evening at a Scotch musicale, in honor of Mrs. Mary V. E. Cabell, of Norwood, Va., at her home, on South Third street. It was a very pleasant and novel affair, and thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

The Christian Endeavor societies of the Presbyterian churches of Bridgeport, Blaine, Scotch Ridge and this city will meet here Friday evening to organize a local union of these societies. The meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. William Rushley left last evening for New York, where she sails to-morrow on the steamer Oceanic for Yorkshire, England, where she will make her future home.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give a Christmas bazaar in the Commercial hall Friday and Saturday evenings, and nothing will be spared to make it a success.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a regular meeting this evening at the home of Mrs. W. H. Woods, on North Third street, and all members are requested to be present.

The funeral of Mrs. John Tierney will occur this morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's church. Interment will be at Mount Calvary.

Miss Bess Griffith returned last evening from a two weeks' visit with her cousin, Miss Bertha Griffith, at Pittsburgh.

For imbibing too freely of liquid pyrotechnics, J. Johnson's contribution to the city yesterday morning was \$1 and costs.

Mrs. Joseph Leach left yesterday for Waynesburg, Pa., where she will spend a couple of months with her mother.

The Woman's club, of this city, will meet to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Turner, in Wheeling.

James Leonard, for disorderly conduct, presented Mayor Shipman \$3 and costs yesterday.

George Duncan and John Moore were fined \$1 and costs yesterday, for drunkenness.

The Knights of Pythias have two candidates to initiate to-night.

Howard Joy is down from Pittsburgh.

F. H. Eick is on the sick list.

BELLARE HAPPENINGS.

Matters of Interest in the Metropolis of Belmont County.

If the Aetna glass works, machine shop and foundry is started on the basis proposed by the present owners of that plant, it will be a good thing for the city, as it will mean the employment of more people here and the distribution of more money in the way of wages than has been since 1890. The matter is being very generally discussed now in business circles, and everybody would like to see the whole plant in operation. It has been kept standing idle so long that it causes some wonder why this should be so. The opportunity to help start it is now presented.

The officers of Spangler Post 99, G. A. R., now are: Post commander, J. B. Gibson, senior vice commander, A. R. Porterfield; junior vice commander, Henry W. Rolis; chaplain, J. M. Paul; surgeon, A. Rederer; quartermaster, W. H. Thompson; officer of the day, J. I. Lancaster; trustee of the guard, L. Schramm; trustees, H. W. Rolis, for three years; A. Porterfield, for two years; A. B. Rolis, delegate, and W. H. Thompson, alternate to department encampment of Ohio. The officers will be installed on the second Saturday of January, 1900.

James Clifford, the fourteen-year-old youth who has been here for several days in charge of Marshal Johnston, was sent to his home at Columbus by that official yesterday afternoon. He was a bright boy and very smart, and the lesson learned by the experience of a runaway seemed to make the proper impression upon him.

Hon. J. J. Gill is now settled down in Washington for this session, and his office is in charge of his private secretary, Mr. Charles D. Simeral. A Washington correspondent says that while Mr. Gill is a bachelor, his sisters, Mrs. Robbins, of Pittsburgh, and Mrs. McCook, of Steubenville, will assist in the necessary social honors this winter.

John McGraw sustained a wound in the neck from a toy target rifle in the hands of boys at Indian run. He was literally shot in the neck, but the wound is not dangerous. The practice of the boys is, however.

There will be another civil service examination held in this city on the 3d day of January, 1900. The eligible list of carriers is exhausted, and the commission desires that a new list be provided.

Isaac N. Grafton, the undertaker, who has been in a critical condition for some time past with paralysis, was thought to be dying yesterday evening.

The Benwood ferryboat now runs to make connection with the last street car down on the Wheeling side, about 12:30 o'clock.

The Gravel Hill reading room social netted for the benefit of that splendid institution between \$40 and \$50.

Mayor Freeze disposed of eight ordinary drunks yesterday, and let them off as lightly as possible.

The Shakespeare Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Eliza Lazure.

MOUNDSVILLE BUDGET.

Yesterday's News From Marshall County's Chief City.

The merchants' association will hold a meeting at the court house this evening at 8:15 o'clock.

Colonel C. L. Smith, editor of the Fairmont Index, was in the city yesterday.

Mert Carroll has accepted a clerical position at the Ohio River railroad station.

A special session of the county court will be held Thursday.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by R. H. List, druggist, Wheeling, W. Va.

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FOR RENT—ENTIRE STORE ROOM at 105 Main street, or first and second story only of same, if so desired, now occupied by the Alexander Frew Furniture Company. Possession given April 1st next. Apply at Room No. 10, City Bank Building.

FOR RENT—Large or Small Store Rooms.

TO LOAN—\$5,000 on Real Estate. JAMES L. HAWLEY, Real Estate and Loans, 1065 Main Street.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

SALE OF CATSUP AND MUSTARD MILLS.

The sickness of Mr. J. W. Hunter having necessitated the winding up of the affairs of the J. W. Hunter Company, of Wheeling, West Virginia, the undersigned, by authority duly conferred on him, will offer for sale at public auction at the factory building of said company, in the city of Wheeling, W. Va., for cash, on TUESDAY, THIRTIETH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1899, commencing at 2 o'clock p. m., the plant of said company, which is in first-class condition, embracing machinery for the manufacture of tomato catsup, twelve million wet mustard, one hydraulic press and twelve pounders for the manufacture of dry mustard, mustard oil or linseed oil, steam engine, boiler, eating, belting, etc., materials manufactured, unmanufactured or in process of manufacture, the lease of said factory property, expiring March 31, 1900, the purchaser to pay the rental under said lease from the time of his purchase, and all other assets of said company, excepting debts due to it or its receiver and money in his hands, and the property to be sold will be made up and furnished by the undersigned to any applicant, and an inspection of the property cheerfully permitted.

ceif-m T. M. DARRAH, Receiver.

The above sale has been postponed until Tuesday, November 28, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The above sale is adjourned until Tuesday, December 19, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., at place above selected.

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